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Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 2. apply. Applicant is other than a small entity.

Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR (a) 1.17(a)-(d) for other total number of months checked below:

> Fee for other than Extension (months) small entity 110.00 one month \$ \$ 400.00 two months \$ 920.00 three months \$ 1,440.00 four months

> > Fee \$ -0-

If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefore.

		An extension formonths has already been secured and the fee paid therefore of \$is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.					
		Extension fee due with this request \$					
		OR					
(b)	$[\times]$	Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.					

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED								
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		
Total Claims	17	Minus		= 0	x \$18 =	\$ 0		
Independent Claims	4	Minus	3	= 0	x \$84 =	\$ 84.00		
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(c) No additional fee for claims is required.

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(d) 🛛 Total additional fee for claims required \$ 84.00

FEE PAYMENT

If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Deposit Account No. 20-0668 and/or if any additional fee for claims is required, charge Deposit Account No. 20-0668. Two copies of this sheet are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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